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SUBJECT: U.S. CRYSTAL GROWING FURNACE

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- 1. PRIOR TO JUNE 6 MEETING UKDEL TOLD USDEL THAT HE HAD HEARD FROM BRITISH EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON THAT DEPART MENT WAS GOING TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL TECHNICAL INFORMATION EXPLAINING THE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE U.S. CRYSTAL GROWER AND THE BRITISH MSR-2'S. IN LIGHT OF THESE CONTINUING BILATERALS HE ASKED WHETHER U.S. WANTED TO TAKE THIS CASE OFF THE AGENDA SINE DIE. USDEL STATED THAT IT WAS UNLIKELY THAT USG WANTED THIS DONE AND UNLESS HE WAS INSTRUCTED OTHERWISE, HE WOULD HAVE TO LEAVE IT ON THE AGENDA. UKDEL RESPONDED THAT IF THE U.S. CASE REMAINED ON THE AGENDA HIS AUTHORITIES WOULD PROBABLY WANT TO PUT THE BRITISH CRYSTAL-GROWING CASES BACK ON THE AGENDA ALSO.
- 2. AT JUNE 6 MEETING BRITISH DEL RESERVED AND USDEL CONFIDENTIAL

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GAVE HIM UNTIL JUNE 13 FOR THE UK POSITION.

3. USDEL RECEIVED A PHONE CALL FROM A VARIAN REP IN ROME WHO ASKED WHETHER HE COULD SEND TECHNICIANS TO BRIEF THE USDEL AND THE UKDEL ON THIS CASE. USDEL EXPLAINED THAT, WHILE HE WOULD BE PLEASED TO MEET WITH THE VARIAN REPRESENTATIVES, SINCE THERE WERE NO TECH-

NICIANS ON EITHER THE U.S. OR UK DELEGATION IT MIGHT BE MORE APPROPRIATE TO PROVIDE THIS INFORMATION TO USG TECHNICIANS IN WASHINGTON. THE VARIAN REP ASKED ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF BRIEFING UK OFFICIALS IN LONDON AND USDEL SUGGESTED THAT HE MIGHT WISH TO CHECK OUT THIS IDEA WITH EWT IN THE DEPARTMENT.

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